## COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 2013, Legislative Day No. 8

Bill No. <u>30-13</u>

Mr. <u>Tom Quirk</u>, Chairman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, April 15, 2013

## A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Self Insurance Fund - Board of Education and the Community College of Baltimore County

FOR the purpose of providing that the Board of Education and the Community College of

Baltimore County may join or continue membership in the Self Insurance Fund for

liability and workers' compensation purposes, or both, subject to the agreement of the

county under certain circumstances; making certain technical changes; providing for the

effective date of this Act; and generally relating to membership in the Self Insurance

Fund.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments

Section 10-5-102(a) and (c)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from bill.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

## Article 10. Finance Baltimore County Code, 2003

I	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE
2	COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the Laws of Baltimore County shall read as follows:
3	Article 10. Finance
4	§ 10-5-102.
5	(a) (1) (i) In this subsection, "employee" means an employee as determined
6	in the Maryland [Worker's] WORKERS' Compensation Act.
7	(ii) "Employee" includes the following persons, while acting within
8	the scope of their duties:
9	1. [Employees of the Board of Education;
10	2.] Employees of the Board of Library Trustees;
11	[3.] 2. Volunteer workers; and
12	[4.] 3. Members of boards and commissions established under the
13	Code.
14	(2) Where applicable and as required by the Maryland [Worker's]
15	WORKERS' Compensation Act, the self insurance fund shall pay for the defense and coverage
16	of [worker's] WORKERS' compensation claims for employees of the county.
17	(c) (1) The Board of Community College Trustees for the county and the Board
18	of Education of the county may elect to join OR CONTINUE MEMBERSHIP IN the Self

- 1 Insurance Fund for the purposes of obtaining [worker's] WORKERS' compensation coverage,
- 2 liability coverage, or both SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENT OF THE COUNTY BASED ON
- 3 THE BEST FINANCIAL INTERESTS OF THE COUNTY.
- 4 (2) If either board elects coverage under the Fund, for the coverage elected,
- 5 the defined term "employee" shall include employees, trustees, members, and officers of the
- 6 Board while acting within the scope of their duties or employment, as applicable.
- 7 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having passed by the
- 8 affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect July 1, 2013.